CLEAN VERSION

<u>Abstract</u>

The invention relates to a device for taking and examining samples, comprising a tube-shaped housing (50) in which a cartridge (30), a testing means (40) and a sample-taking means (10) are positioned, wherein a sample introduced by means of the sample-taking means (10) can be mixed with a content of the cartridge (30), and the testing means (40) is used to analyze the sample mixture.